**Careers that build on English Graduate Studies**

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**Graduate Studies in English at Lehman College**

There are several exciting options for pursuing graduate study at Lehman English:

- Most students pursue a 30-credit English MA with a focus on Literature, Writing and Rhetoric, Creative Writing, or (in 2018!) Professional Writing.
- Some students take English Department graduate classes while working toward degrees in English Education, Literacy Studies, or Liberal Studies.
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- **ENG 776:** Special Studies – Introduction to Professional Writing (Cleland)
- **ENW 762:** Studies in Gender & Sexuality (Mifflin)
- **ENG 784:** Readings in Composiion and Rhetoric (Schmidt)
- **ENW 701/702:** Fiction/Poetry Workshop (Amend)
- **ENG 742:** Studies in 19th-C English Literature (Hyman)
- **ENG 770:** Studies in Poetry (Gulla)
- **ENG 788:** Writing & Rhetoric in Digital Age (Yood)

College graduates do not need to be admitted to the MA program to register.

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